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**Table 1 Population of Canada, provinces and territories**

	1991	2001	2006
	number		
<b>Canada</b>	<b>28,031,394</b>	<b>31,021,251</b>	<b>32,623,490</b>
Newfoundland and Labrador	579,518	521,986	509,677
Prince Edward Island	130,306	136,672	138,519
Nova Scotia	915,102	932,389	934,405
New Brunswick	745,528	749,890	749,168
Quebec	7,064,586	7,396,990	7,651,531
Ontario	10,428,132	11,897,647	12,686,952
Manitoba	1,109,614	1,151,285	1,177,765
Saskatchewan	1,002,686	1,000,134	985,386
Alberta	2,592,626	3,056,739	3,375,763
British Columbia	3,373,464	4,078,447	4,310,452
Yukon	28,907	30,129	31,229
Northwest Territories	38,746	40,822	41,861
Nunavut	22,179	28,121	30,782

**Note:** Population estimates as of July 1.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 051-0001.

**Table 2 Population of major census metropolitan areas**

	1991	2001	2006
	number		
Toronto	4,029,762	4,883,834	5,406,324
Montréal	3,291,393	3,507,424	3,666,280
Vancouver	1,646,886	2,076,098	2,236,068
Ottawa–Gatineau <sup>1</sup>	960,754	1,102,911	1,158,314
Calgary	766,365	976,773	1,107,242
Edmonton	854,289	961,475	1,050,046
Québec	660,863	696,389	723,263
Hamilton	618,739	689,190	716,230
Winnipeg	671,098	690,101	706,749
London	411,922	449,589	465,720

**Notes:** Some figures have been adjusted because of boundary changes.

Population estimates as of July 1, based on 2001 Census boundaries.

1. Formerly Ottawa–Hull.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 051-0034.

**Table 3 Census families**

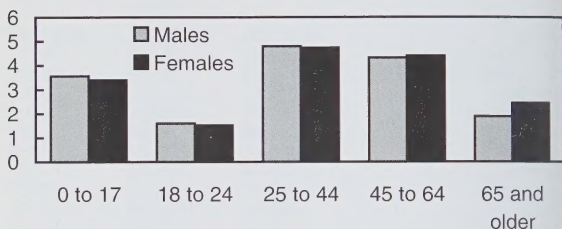
	1981	1991	2001
	number		
<b>All families</b>	<b>6,325,315</b>	<b>7,355,730</b>	<b>8,371,020</b>
Families of married couples	5,259,340	5,682,815	5,901,425
Families of common law couples	352,155	719,275	1,158,410
Lone-parent families <sup>1</sup>	713,815	953,640	1,311,190
Male lone-parent families	124,380	165,240	245,825
Female lone-parent families	589,435	788,395	1,065,360

1. Changes to the census family definition in 2001 make comparisons with previous years difficult.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, censuses of population.

# Chart 1 Population, by age group, 2006

millions



**Note:** Population estimates as of July 1.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 051-0001.

## Table 4 Components of population growth

	1986	1996	2006 <sup>p</sup>
	number		
Births	375,381	372,453	343,517
Deaths	183,353	209,766	234,914
Immigration	88,657	217,478	254,359
Emigration	50,595	48,396	38,551

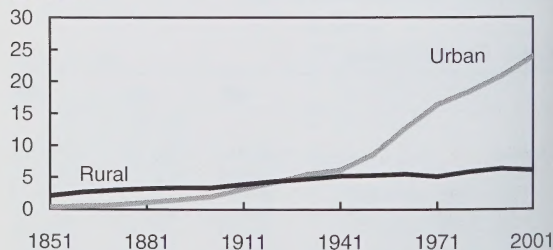
<sup>p</sup> preliminary

**Note:** All figures are for the one-year period ending June 30.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 051-0004.

## Chart 2 Urban and rural population, Canada

millions



**Source:** Statistics Canada, censuses of population 1851 to 2001.



**Table 5 Aboriginal identity population, by age group, 2001**

	Total	0 to 24 number	25 and older
<b>Canada</b>	<b>976,305</b>	<b>493,020</b>	<b>483,280</b>
Newfoundland and Labrador	18,780	8,650	10,130
Prince Edward Island	1,345	685	660
Nova Scotia	17,015	8,405	8,610
New Brunswick	16,990	7,715	9,270
Quebec	79,400	36,295	43,110
Ontario	188,315	86,370	101,945
Manitoba	150,040	80,085	69,965
Saskatchewan	130,185	75,490	54,700
Alberta	156,220	82,375	73,845
British Columbia	170,025	80,725	89,295
Yukon	6,540	3,000	3,545
Northwest Territories	18,730	9,655	9,075
Nunavut	22,720	13,595	9,120

**Note:** Persons who reported identifying with an Aboriginal group, being Treaty/Registered Indians, or being members of Indian Bands / First Nations.

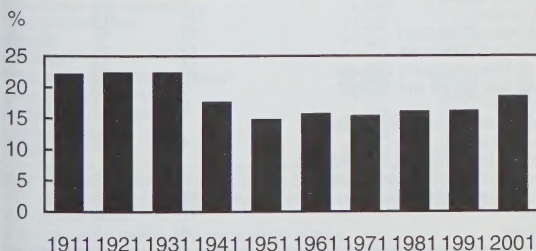
**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2001 Census of Population.

**Table 6 Religions in Canada, 2001**

	Number	%
<b>Total population<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>29,639,035</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Catholic	12,936,905	43.6
Protestant	8,654,850	29.2
Christian Orthodox	479,620	1.6
Christian not included elsewhere	780,450	2.6
Muslim	579,640	2.0
Jewish	329,995	1.1
Buddhist	300,345	1.0
Hindu	297,200	1.0
Sikh	278,410	0.9
Eastern religions	37,550	0.1
Other religions	63,975	0.2
No religious affiliation	4,900,090	16.5

1. Based on 20% census sample data.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2001 Census of Population.

**Chart 3 Immigrant population as a percentage of total population**

**Source:** Statistics Canada, Catalogue no. 97F0009X.

**Table 7 Mother tongue of Canadians**

	1991	1996	2001
		number	
<b>Total population<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>26,994,040</b>	<b>28,528,125</b>	<b>29,639,035</b>
Single responses	26,663,790	28,125,565	29,257,885
English	16,169,880	16,890,620	17,352,315
French	6,502,860	6,636,660	6,703,325
Chinese <sup>2</sup>	498,845	715,640	853,745
Italian	510,990	484,500	469,485
German	466,240	450,140	438,080
Punjabi	136,460	201,780	271,220
Spanish	177,425	212,890	245,500
Portuguese	212,090	211,290	213,815
Polish	189,815	213,415	208,375
Arabic	107,750	148,555	199,940
Aboriginal languages	172,610	186,935	187,675
Tagalog (Pilipino)	99,710	133,210	174,060
Ukrainian	187,015	162,695	148,090
Dutch	139,035	133,805	128,670
Vietnamese	78,570	106,515	122,055
Greek	126,205	121,180	120,365
Other single responses	888,290	1,115,735	1,421,170
Multiple responses	330,255	402,560	381,145

**Note:** Refers to the first language learned at home in childhood and still understood by the individual at the time of the census.

1. Based on 20% census sample data.

2. Includes Cantonese, Mandarin, Hakka and other Chinese languages.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, censuses of population.

**Table 8 Age-standardized mortality rates, by selected causes, 2003**

	Both sexes	Males	Females
	rate per 100,000 population		
<b>All causes of death</b>	<b>587</b>	<b>733</b>	<b>475</b>
Septicaemia	4	5	4
Viral hepatitis	1	1	1
Human immunodeficiency virus	1	2	0
Malignant neoplasms	176	215	148
Diabetes mellitus	21	25	17
Alzheimer's disease	13	11	14
Heart diseases	133	179	98
Cerebrovascular diseases	38	42	35
Influenza and pneumonia	12	15	10
Chronic lower respiratory diseases	26	36	20
Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	6	9	4
Renal failure	9	11	7
Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	4	5	4
Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	3	3	3
Accidents (unintentional injuries)	26	35	17
Suicide	11	18	5
Homicide	2	2	1

**Note:** Rates are age-standardized to the 1991 Census of Population.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 102-0552.

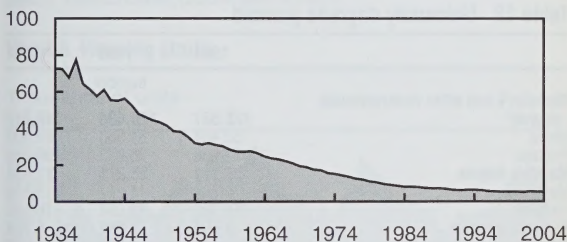
**Table 9 Life expectancy**

	1931	1961	1991	2004
	years			
<b>Females</b>				
At birth	62.1	74.2	80.9	82.6
At 65	13.7	16.1	19.9	21.0
<b>Males</b>				
At birth	60.0	68.4	74.6	77.8
At 65	13.0	13.5	15.8	17.7

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 102-0511 and Catalogue no. 84-518-XPE.

**Chart 4 Infant mortality**

number of deaths per 1,000 live births



**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 102-0504 and Catalogue no. 82-549-XPB.

**Table 10 New cancer cases, by selected primary site of cancer**

	1993	1998	2003
	number of new cancer cases		
<b>Males</b>			
<b>Total, all primary sites of cancer<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>64,789</b>	<b>66,288</b>	<b>74,302</b>
Colon (excluding rectum)	4,915	5,678	6,184
Rectum and rectosigmoid	2,870	3,109	3,601
Lung and bronchus	11,822	11,592	11,427
Prostate	17,689	16,291	19,424
<b>Females</b>			
<b>Total, all primary sites of cancer<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>54,945</b>	<b>62,439</b>	<b>67,897</b>
Colon (excluding rectum)	5,270	5,836	6,051
Rectum and rectosigmoid	1,928	2,123	2,417
Lung and bronchus	6,484	7,733	8,772
Breast	15,633	18,129	18,734

**Note:** International Classification of Diseases for Oncology, third edition (ICD-O-3) and the International Agency for Research on Cancer rules for determining multiple primary sites.

1. Included are all invasive sites and in situ for bladder.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, Canadian Cancer Registry Database (August 2006 file), CANSIM table 103-0543.

**Table 11 Educational attainment, 2006**

	Both sexes	Males	Females
	number		
<b>Population aged 15 and older</b>	<b>26,185,100</b>	<b>12,882,700</b>	<b>13,302,500</b>
	%		
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
0 to 8 years	8.1	7.6	8.6
Some high school	15.1	15.7	14.5
High-school graduate	19.9	19.4	20.4
Some postsecondary	8.1	8.2	7.9
Postsecondary certificate or diploma	29.9	29.9	29.9
University degree	18.9	19.1	18.7

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 282-0004.

**Table 12 University degrees granted**

	1994	1999	2004
	number		
<b>Bachelor's and other undergraduate degree<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>126,537</b>	<b>126,438</b>	<b>148,212</b>
Males	53,484	51,363	57,408
Females	73,056	75,072	90,789
<b>Master's degree</b>	<b>21,291</b>	<b>23,271</b>	<b>31,554</b>
Males	10,902	11,217	15,216
Females	10,392	12,054	16,335
<b>Earned doctorate</b>	<b>3,552</b>	<b>3,966</b>	<b>4,164</b>
Males	2,454	2,409	2,349
Females	1,098	1,557	1,815

1. Includes bachelor's degree, first professional degree and applied degree.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 477-0014.

**Table 13 Reported crime statistics**

	1985	1995	2005
	number		
<b>Total <i>Criminal Code</i> offences<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>2,174,175</b>	<b>2,639,654</b>	<b>2,504,559</b>
Property crimes	1,408,717	1,550,725	1,206,142
Crimes of violence	189,822	295,702	304,274
Other crimes	575,636	793,227	994,143
<b>Selected offences</b>			
Homicide	704	588	658
Assault	161,375	259,314	270,850
Sexual assault	18,248	28,234	23,303
Prostitution	1,225	7,170	5,793
Break and enter	356,744	390,784	259,521
Motor vehicle theft	82,250	161,696	160,100
Fraud	123,140	103,964	94,468
Drugs	57,205	61,613	92,255

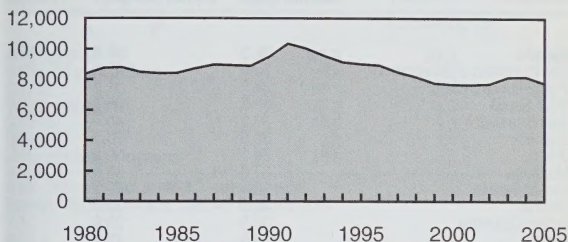
1. Excludes all *Criminal Code* traffic offences, such as impaired driving.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 252-0013.



## Chart 5 Crime rate for Canada

offences per 100,000 population

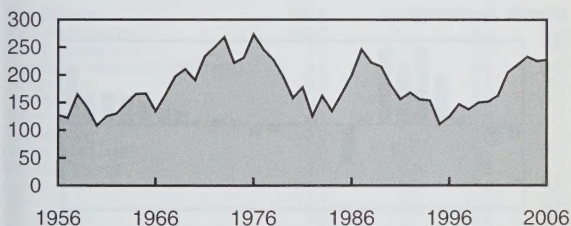


**Note:** All *Criminal Code* offences excluding traffic offences.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 252-0013.

## Chart 6 Housing starts

thousands of units



**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 027-0009.

## Table 14 Building permits, 2006

	Total residential and non- residential	Residential	Non- residential
		\$ millions	
<b>Canada</b>	<b>66,221.0</b>	<b>41,014.2</b>	<b>25,206.8</b>
Newfoundland and Labrador	538.6	326.6	212.0
Prince Edward Island	206.8	126.3	80.6
Nova Scotia	1,292.0	863.3	428.7
New Brunswick	933.4	493.5	439.9
Quebec	11,902.7	7,779.6	4,123.2
Ontario	23,220.1	14,246.2	8,973.9
Manitoba	1,375.7	826.2	549.6
Saskatchewan	1,134.2	489.0	645.2
Alberta	13,884.6	8,151.0	5,733.6
British Columbia	11,541.1	7,624.1	3,917.0
Yukon	96.1	37.6	58.5
Northwest Territories	38.1	17.8	20.3
Nunavut	57.5	33.1	24.4

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM tables 026-0003 and 026-0008.

**Table 15 Housing tenure, 2005**

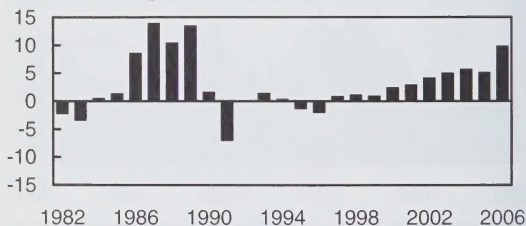
	Owned dwelling with mortgage	Owned dwelling without mortgage	Rented
	%		
<b>Canada</b>	<b>36.3</b>	<b>30.8</b>	<b>32.9</b>
Newfoundland and Labrador	33.9	45.8	20.4
Prince Edward Island	36.7	31.8	31.5
Nova Scotia	35.2	36.0	28.8
New Brunswick	36.1	40.7	23.2
Quebec	32.6	26.5	40.8
Ontario	38.1	30.6	31.2
Manitoba	37.2	35.8	27.0
Saskatchewan	32.5	42.0	25.5
Alberta	40.5	33.5	26.0
British Columbia	36.5	28.8	34.7
Yukon	33.8	28.3	37.9
Northwest Territories	41.8	19.1	39.1
Nunavut	F	F	85.2

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Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 203-0019.

**Chart 7 New Housing Price Index**

annual % change



Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 327-0005.

**Table 16 Household equipment**

	1990	2000	2005
	% of households		
Dishwasher	41.6	51.2	57.2
Refrigerator	99.4	99.8	99.7
Microwave oven	68.2	91.0	94.1
Air conditioner	24.4	34.4	44.2
Telephone (includes business use)	98.5	97.7	94.4
Cellular telephone	...	41.8	64.2
Compact disc player	15.5	74.1	80.4
Cablevision	71.4	72.4	65.4
Video cassette recorder	66.2	89.9	89.1
Home computer	16.2	54.9	72.0
Internet use from home	...	42.3	64.3
Colour television	96.9	98.9	99.0
Owned automobile	77.7	64.2	61.7
Owned truck and/or van	23.1	33.8	36.9

... not applicable

1. Includes the territories. For the other years, statistics include the 10 provinces only.

Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 203-0020.

**Table 17 Television viewing, by type of program, fall 2004**

	Total	Canadian programs	Foreign programs
	% of viewing time		
<b>All programs</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>37.2</b>	<b>62.8</b>
News and public affairs	24.4	18.4	6.0
Drama	27.3	5.3	22.1
Variety and games	15.2	4.6	10.7
Comedy	10.0	1.6	8.4
Sports	6.5	2.9	3.6
Other television programs	16.6	4.4	12.1

**Note:** Data are for all persons 2 years and older.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 502-0004.

**Table 18 Radio listening time, by format and age group, fall 2005**

	All ages	Teens (12 to 17)	Men (18 and older)	Women (18 and older)
	% of listening time			
<b>Total listening</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Adult contemporary	24.0	21.4	18.5	29.5
Album-oriented rock	5.8	10.1	7.5	3.7
Canadian Broadcasting Corporation	8.8	2.1	8.4	9.8
Contemporary	9.5	25.9	9.3	8.3
Country	10.1	8.9	9.5	10.7
Dance	0.7	4.1	0.5	0.7
Easy listening	3.0	0.5	2.8	3.3
Golden oldies / rock	14.9	15.1	18.2	11.6
Middle-of-the-road	2.7	0.4	2.3	3.2
Sports	1.1	0.6	2.0	0.2
Talk	10.2	1.6	11.0	10.2
U.S. stations	3.0	5.2	3.2	2.6
Other	6.3	4.1	6.6	6.2

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM tables 503-0002 and 503-0003.

**Table 19 Internet use by individuals, by type of activity, 2005**

	All Canadians	Internet users at home <sup>1</sup>
	% of individuals	
E-mail	55.6	91.3
General browsing (surfing)	51.2	84.0
Weather reports or road conditions	40.5	66.6
Travel information/arrangements	38.5	63.1
Viewing the news or sports	37.6	61.7
Medical or health information	35.3	57.9
Electronic banking	35.2	57.8
Paying bills	33.5	55.0
Government information	31.7	52.0
Education, training or school work	26.1	42.9

**Note:** Percentage of all individuals, aged 18 years and older.

1. Individuals who responded that they had used the Internet in the previous 12 months for personal non-business use from home.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 358-0130.

**Table 20 Median after-tax income, by economic family type**

	1984	1994	2004
	2004 constant \$		
<b>Economic families, two people or more</b>	<b>48,600</b>	<b>47,600</b>	<b>54,100</b>
Elderly families	32,300	36,000	38,500
Married couples only	29,400	33,000	38,200
All other elderly families	40,500	45,100	40,300
Non-elderly families	50,700	49,800	57,600
Married couples only	48,400	46,000	53,000
Two-parent families with children	53,000	53,500	64,100
Married couples with other relatives	67,100	68,500	80,500
Lone-parent families	22,100	23,400	29,800
All other non-elderly families	41,000	41,000	50,600
<b>Unattached individuals</b>	<b>19,000</b>	<b>17,900</b>	<b>21,300</b>
Elderly males	16,100	18,900	21,300
Elderly females	14,600	17,200	19,000
Non-elderly males	24,400	20,600	24,200
Non-elderly females	20,200	16,500	20,100

Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 202-0605.

**Table 21 Persons with low income after tax**

	1984	1994	2004
	thousands		
<b>All persons</b>	<b>3,451</b>	<b>3,898</b>	<b>3,479</b>
Persons under 18 years	1,041	1,102	865
Persons 18 to 64 years	2,021	2,520	2,396
Persons 65 years and older	390	276	219

Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 202-0802.

**Table 22 Family units and net worth, by net worth group, 2005**

	Family units <sup>1</sup>		Net worth <sup>2</sup>	
	thousands	%	\$ millions	%
<b>All family units' net worth groups<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>13,348</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>4,862,486</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Negative net worth	872	6.5	-12,751	-0.3
Less than \$5,000	1,220	9.1	2,068	0.0
\$5,000 to \$14,999	854	6.4	7,762	0.2
\$15,000 to \$29,999	791	5.9	17,149	0.4
\$30,000 to \$49,999	602	4.5	23,235	0.5
\$50,000 to \$74,999	760	5.7	46,275	1.0
\$75,000 to \$99,999	583	4.4	51,702	1.1
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,020	7.6	127,010	2.6
\$150,000 to \$249,999	1,487	11.1	293,647	6.0
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2,253	16.9	813,922	16.7
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1,807	13.5	1,233,616	25.4
\$1,000,000 and over	1,098	8.2	2,258,851	46.5

1. Economic families (a group of two or more persons who live in the same dwelling and are related to each other by blood, marriage, common-law or adoption) and unattached individuals (a person living either alone or with others to whom he or she is unrelated).
2. Includes employer-sponsored Registered Pension Plans valued on a termination basis.
3. Includes family units with net worth of \$0.

Source: Statistics Canada, Survey of Financial Security (SFS).



**Table 23 Labour force characteristics, by sex**

	1986	1996	2006
	thousands		
<b>Labour force</b>	<b>13,272</b>	<b>14,854</b>	<b>17,593</b>
<b>Males</b>	<b>7,585</b>	<b>8,129</b>	<b>9,335</b>
<b>Females</b>	<b>5,687</b>	<b>6,724</b>	<b>8,257</b>
Employed	11,987	13,421	16,484
Males	6,860	7,322	8,727
Females	5,127	6,099	7,757
Unemployed	1,286	1,432	1,108
Males	725	807	608
Females	560	625	500
	%		
Unemployment rate	9.7	9.6	6.3
Males	9.6	9.9	6.5
Females	9.9	9.3	6.1
Participation rate	66.1	64.7	67.2
Males	76.8	72.2	72.5
Females	55.7	57.4	62.1
Employment rate	59.7	58.4	63.0
Males	69.5	65.0	67.7
Females	50.2	52.1	58.3

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 282-0002.

**Table 24 Average weekly earnings, by industry**

	1995	2000	2005
	2001 constant \$		
<b>Industrial aggregate excluding unclassified enterprises</b>	<b>669.02</b>	<b>672.67</b>	<b>665.82</b>
<b>Goods-producing industries</b>	<b>830.07</b>	<b>845.12</b>	<b>836.47</b>
Forestry, logging and support	779.32	830.85	846.48
Mining and oil and gas extraction	1,104.65	1,166.43	1,197.51
Utilities	1,046.95	1,055.58	974.40
Construction	836.50	828.71	803.21
Manufacturing	796.20	817.25	809.00
<b>Services-producing industries</b>	<b>621.87</b>	<b>619.77</b>	<b>617.56</b>
Trade	541.71	550.59	529.90
Transportation and warehousing	737.30	743.63	709.35
Information and cultural industries	823.46	800.26	805.95
Finance and insurance	803.76	867.14	855.11
Real estate and rental and leasing	569.98	606.03	593.06
Professional, scientific and technical services	828.44	892.62	871.36
Management of companies and enterprises	973.38	851.02	829.53
Administrative and support	518.09	529.74	529.19
Educational services	754.57	691.10	736.59
Health care and social assistance	590.41	576.76	599.28
Arts, entertainment and recreation	427.19	420.32	385.04
Accommodation and food services	287.75	280.28	284.92
Public administration	815.28	801.11	822.94
Other services	508.47	515.77	516.16

**Notes:** Based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), 2002. Data include overtime.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM tables 281-0027 and 326-0002.

**Table 25 International comparisons**

	Unit	Canada
<b>Area</b>	sq. km ('000)	9,98
<b>Population (2004)</b>	'000	31,94
Growth rate	2003 to 2004 (% change)	0.
Density	persons per sq. km	
<b>Vital statistics (2003)</b>		
Infant mortality	per 1,000 live births	5.
Male life expectancy at birth	years	77.
Female life expectancy at birth	years	82.
<b>Gross domestic product (2004)<sup>4</sup></b>	US\$ billions	978.
GDP per capita <sup>5</sup>	US\$	31,50
Average annual growth over ten years	1994 to 2004 (% change)	3.
<b>Sectoral contributions to gross value added (2003)<sup>6</sup></b>		
Agriculture	%	2.
Industry	%	32.
Services	%	65.
<b>Consumer price index</b>	Dec. 2003 to Dec. 2004 (% change)	2.
<b>Employment (2004)</b>		
Labour force	'000	17,23
Civilian employment	'000	15,95
Unemployment rate	%	7
Female participation rate	%	73
<b>Energy (2003)</b>		
Consumption	million tonnes of oil equivalent	197
Production	million tonnes of oil equivalent	385
<b>Health and education</b>		
Health expenditures (2003)	% of GDP	9
Education expenditures (2001) <sup>9</sup>	% of GDP	6
<b>International trade (2003)</b>		
Commodity imports (cost, insurance, freight)	US\$ billions	236
Commodity exports (free on board basis)	US\$ billions	268
<b>Exchange rate</b>	per US\$, Dec. 2004	1.

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**Notes:** International comparisons should be used to gain a general impression only, as the data are not necessarily comparable. 1. Data from the United Nations Development Programme; 2. Data from Natural Resources Canada; 3. 2002 constant prices; 4. At current purchasing power parity exchange rates; 5. At current purchasing power parity exchange rates; 6. Estimated at basic prices; 7. Estimated at basic prices; 8. Estimated at basic prices; 9. Estimated at basic prices; 10. Estimated at basic prices; 11. Estimated at basic prices; 12. Pound sterling; 13. Yen.

**Source:** OECD in Figures, 2005 edition.

ted tes	Mexico	France	Ger- many	Italy	United King- dom	Japan	OECD <sup>1</sup> total
376	1,996	549	357	301	245	378	34,804
355	104,000	60,200	82,491	57,553	59,778	127,687	1,160,738
1.0	1.3	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.7
131	52	110	231	191	244	338	33
7.0 <sup>3</sup>	20.1	3.9	4.2	4.3	5.3	3.0	...
4.5 <sup>3</sup>	72.4	75.8	75.5	76.9	76.2	78.4	...
9.9 <sup>3</sup>	77.4	82.9	81.3	82.9	80.7	85.3	...
8.7	676.1	2,046.7	2,740.7	1,677.9	2,124.5	4,666.4	33,018.6
700	10,100	29,600	28,500	27,700	31,400	29,600	27,700
13.3	2.7	2.3	1.5	1.6	2.8	1.2	2.6
1.2	3.8	2.6	1.1	2.7	1.0	1.3	...
2.3	25.8	21.5	28.8	27.8	26.2	30.7	...
6.5	70.4	75.9	70.1	69.6	72.0	68.0	...
3.3	5.2	2.1	2.1	2.0	3.5	0.2	2.8
544	42,566	27,351	40,033	24,365	29,369	66,420	552,027
252	41,272	24,259	35,876	22,146	27,845	63,290	511,449
5.5	3.0	10.1	9.9	8.1	4.7	4.7	6.8
9.8	44.2	64.8	66.6	51.0	68.5	64.6	61.1
1.1	96.8	173.1	245.7	139.2	160.6	353.5	3,753.5
2.0	242.5	136.3	134.5	27.7	246.4	84.6	3,802.0
5.0	6.2	10.1	11.1	8.4	7.7 <sup>8</sup>	7.9 <sup>8</sup>	...
7.3	5.9	6.0	5.3	5.3	5.5	4.6	...
15.1	170.5	362.4	601.8	297.4	399.5	383.5	5,523.8
13.7	164.9	357.9	748.5	299.4	320.1	472.0	5,116.7
100	11.20 <sup>10</sup>	0.75 <sup>11</sup>	0.75 <sup>11</sup>	0.75 <sup>11</sup>	0.52 <sup>12</sup>	103.90 <sup>13</sup>	...

ferences in definition, data collection, and other factors; 1. Organization for Economic  
 gross domestic product (GDP) at current market prices using current exchange rates;  
 data; 8. 2002 data; 9. Public and private educational institutions; 10. Mexican peso; 11. Euro;

**Table 26 Employment, by industry group**

	1996	2001	2006
	thousands of workers		
<b>All industries</b>	<b>13,421.4</b>	<b>14,946.2</b>	<b>16,484.3</b>
Goods-producing sector	3,476.0	3,779.9	3,985.9
Agriculture	422.5	323.3	346.4
Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas	294.0	278.9	330.1
Utilities	124.1	124.4	122.0
Construction	709.7	824.3	1,069.7
Manufacturing	1,925.7	2,229.0	2,117.7
Services-producing sector	9,945.4	11,166.2	12,498.4
Trade	2,087.7	2,363.3	2,633.5
Transportation and warehousing	674.0	775.8	802.2
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	861.4	876.7	1,040.5
Professional, scientific and technical services	706.7	986.5	1,089.9
Business, building and other support services	420.8	537.2	690.0
Educational services	913.0	981.6	1,158.4
Health care and social assistance	1,390.9	1,540.4	1,785.5
Information, culture and recreation	579.1	709.4	745.0
Accommodation and food services	847.9	943.2	1,015.0
Public administration	807.8	785.4	837.4
Other services	656.0	666.8	701.0

**Note:** Based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), 2002.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 282-0008.

**Table 27 Gross domestic product at basic prices, by sector**

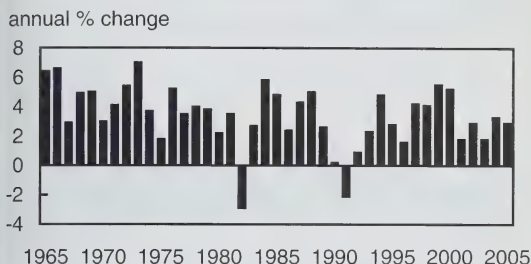
	1997	2001	2005
	millions of chained (1997) dollars		
<b>All sectors</b>	<b>816,756</b>	<b>957,258</b>	<b>1,062,951</b>
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	20,426	21,927	25,488
Mining and oil and gas extraction	33,936	35,309	38,865
Utilities	26,684	25,158	27,948
Construction	42,995	52,575	63,689
Manufacturing	142,274	170,247	174,987
Wholesale trade	43,694	54,525	65,997
Retail trade	42,252	52,445	62,219
Transportation and warehousing	40,335	47,014	51,241
Information and cultural industries	27,981	38,679	43,383
Finance and insurance	49,497	57,610	64,745
Real estate and rental and leasing	105,960	123,106	140,544
Professional, scientific and technical services	30,289	42,449	47,535
Administrative and support, waste management and remediation services	15,387	19,971	24,183
Educational services	42,313	43,846	47,073
Health care and social assistance	51,403	56,520	60,704
Arts, entertainment and recreation	7,405	8,663	8,996
Accommodation and food services	19,652	22,629	23,221
Public administration	49,482	54,414	59,462
Other services	19,194	23,562	26,225

**Note:** Based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), 2002.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 379-0017.



**Chart 8 Gross domestic product at market prices, chained (1997) dollars**



**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 380-0017.

**Table 28 Retail trade, sales by trade group**

	1995	2000	2005
	\$ millions		
<b>All retail trade groups</b>	<b>221,078</b>	<b>287,838</b>	<b>367,828</b>
New car dealers	44,037	61,031	71,968
Used and recreational motor vehicle and parts dealers	8,810	12,872	15,331
Gasoline stations	17,872	26,676	38,408
Furniture stores	5,082	6,528	8,953
Home furnishings stores	2,206	2,975	4,768
Computer and software stores	1,286	2,210	1,593
Home electronics and appliance stores	4,918	7,002	10,211
Home centres and hardware stores	7,079	10,105	18,206
Specialized building materials and garden stores	2,900	3,485	4,500
Supermarkets	43,040	49,657	62,746
Convenience and specialty food stores	6,722	7,277	9,124
Beer, wine and liquor stores	8,963	11,107	14,443
Pharmacies and personal care stores	15,558	17,854	23,951
Clothing stores	11,193	13,461	16,116
Shoe, clothing accessories and jewellery stores	3,963	4,731	4,963
General merchandise stores	25,712	35,205	43,686
Sporting goods, hobby, music and book stores	6,010	7,899	9,464
Miscellaneous store retailers	5,727	7,762	9,398

**Note:** Based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), 2002.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 080-0014.

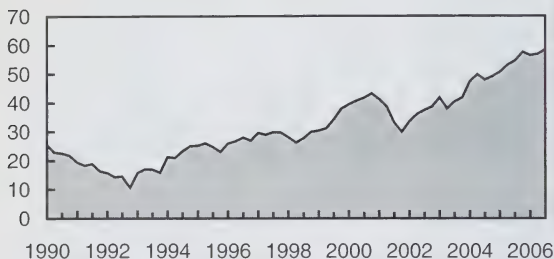
**Table 29 New motor vehicle sales in Canada**

	1986	1996	2006
	units		
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,515,920</b>	<b>1,204,557</b>	<b>1,666,327</b>
Manufactured in North America	1,129,592	1,090,319	1,254,346
Manufactured overseas	386,328	114,238	411,981

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 079-0001.

## Chart 9 Quarterly operating profits of Canadian enterprises

\$ billions



**Note:** Seasonally adjusted.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 187-0002

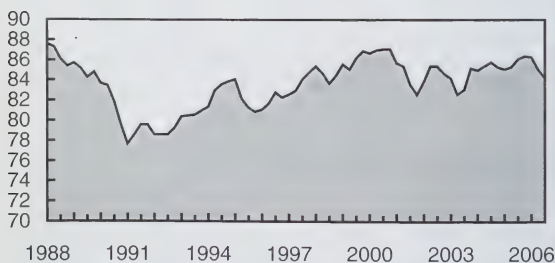
## Table 30 Manufacturing industries

	1996	2001	2006
	\$ millions		
Shipments	400,085	543,272	587,44
New orders	400,810	540,384	588,59
<b>Annual average</b>			
Month-end inventory	45,834	65,315	62,69
Month-end unfilled orders	28,545	49,018	41,73
	ratio		
Total inventory to shipments	1.38	1.44	1.2

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 304-0014.

## Chart 10 Industrial capacity utilization rates, quarterly

%



**Note:** Based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), 2002.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 028-0002.

**Table 31 Consumer Price Index and major components**

	1967 to 1976	1977 to 1986	1987 to 1996	1997 to 2006
	10-year average % change			
<b>All-items</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.1</b>
Food	7.1	8.3	2.3	2.2
Shelter	..	..	2.8	2.5
Electricity	6.8	7.7	4.4	2.4
Water	..	8.2	6.3	3.8
Natural gas	6.6	10.6	0.6	8.7
Fuel oil and other fuel	10.6	12.3	3.3	7.7
Household operations and furnishings	..	..	2.1	1.0
Clothing and footwear	4.2	5.4	2.6	-0.2
Transportation	5.9	8.6	3.7	2.7
Gasoline	6.8	10.3	2.2	5.7
Health and personal care	5.9	7.3	3.0	1.6
Recreation, education and reading	5.5	6.5	3.8	1.1
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	5.1	10.8	3.6	6.0

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Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 326-0001.

**Table 32 Capital expenditures on construction**

	2001	2003	2005
	\$ millions		
<b>Total building construction</b>	<b>71,231.6</b>	<b>88,288.3</b>	<b>104,035.1</b>
Total residential building construction	46,566.5	61,259.6	73,574.9
Single detached houses	14,353.9	20,954.7	23,350.8
Semi-detached houses	1,398.8	1,677.8	1,789.9
Apartments and row houses	5,446.4	7,926.4	11,394.2
Other residential buildings	25,367.4	30,700.7	37,040.0
Total non-residential building construction	24,665.1	27,028.7	30,460.2
Industrial building construction	4,551.3	3,972.0	3,792.4
Commercial building construction	12,884.5	14,164.6	17,139.6
Institutional building construction	7,229.3	8,892.1	9,528.2
<b>Total engineering construction</b>	<b>46,154.7</b>	<b>47,385.5</b>	<b>62,739.7</b>

Source: Statistics Canada, Investment and Capital Stocks Division and CANSIM tables 026-0013 and 031-0002.

**Table 33 Oil and gas marketable production**

	1995	2000	2005
<b>Crude oil and equivalent</b>			
Volume (thousands of m <sup>3</sup> )	114,372.1	127,769.5	146,445.3
Value (\$ millions)	15,321.0	30,512.1	49,259.6
<b>Natural gas</b>			
Volume (millions of m <sup>3</sup> )	148,202.6	167,789.9	170,692.8
Value (\$ millions)	6,830.8	27,827.7	51,088.3
<b>Natural gas by-products</b>			
Volume (thousands of m <sup>3</sup> )	25,040.3	30,542.6	30,254.3
Value (\$ millions)	1,772.4	5,660.7	7,941.5

Source: Statistics Canada, Manufacturing, Construction and Energy Division.

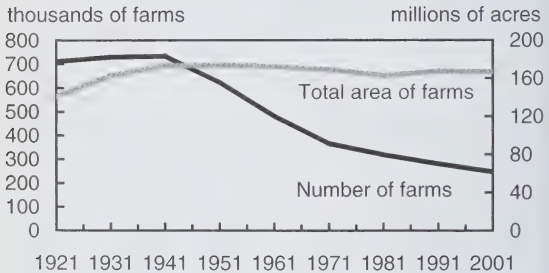
**Table 34 Average farm size**

	1921	1961	2001
	acres		
<b>Canada</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>676</b>
Newfoundland and Labrador	..	31	156
Prince Edward Island	89	131	350
Nova Scotia	100	178	256
New Brunswick	116	187	316
Quebec	125	148	263
Ontario	114	153	226
Manitoba	274	420	891
Saskatchewan	369	686	1,283
Alberta	353	645	970
British Columbia	130	226	315

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**Source:** Statistics Canada, censuses of agriculture.

**Chart 11 Number and area of farms, Canada**



**Source:** Statistics Canada, Catalogue no. 95F0302XIE.

**Table 35 Farm population**

	1931	1961	2001
	number		
Total population <sup>1</sup>	10,363,240	18,200,621	29,914,315
Total farm population <sup>1</sup>	3,289,140	2,128,327	727,125
	%		
Farm population as a percentage of total population	31.7	11.7	2.4

**Note:** Changes to the definition of 'farm population' affect the comparability of data among censuses.

1. Excludes Yukon, the Northwest Territories and Nunavut.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, Catalogue no. 95F0303XIE.



**Table 36 Operating arrangements of farms, 2001**

	Number	%
<b>Total number of farms</b>	<b>246,923</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Sole proprietorship	142,915	57.9
Partnership without a written agreement	54,091	21.9
Partnership with a written agreement	16,081	6.5
Family corporation	28,854	11.7
Non-family corporation	4,151	1.7
Other	831	0.3

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2001 Census of Agriculture.

**Table 37 Net farm income**

	1985	1995	2005
	\$ millions		
<b>Gross income</b>	<b>20,652</b>	<b>27,984</b>	<b>37,582</b>
Total cash receipts	19,792	27,123	36,758
Income in kind	199	151	148
Value of inventory change	661	710	677
<b>Operating expenses and depreciation charges</b>	<b>17,860</b>	<b>24,997</b>	<b>34,957</b>
Operating expenses after rebates	15,115	21,535	30,334
Depreciation charges	2,744	3,462	4,622
<b>Net income</b>	<b>2,792</b>	<b>2,987</b>	<b>2,625</b>

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 002-0009.

**Table 38 Average operating revenues and expenses per farm and operating margins, 2005**

	Average operating revenues	Average operating expenses	Operating margins <sup>1</sup>
	dollars		cents
<b>All farms</b>	<b>221,211</b>	<b>191,905</b>	<b>13.2</b>
Grain and oilseed	150,636	127,369	15.4
Potato	746,060	623,194	16.5
Other vegetable and melon	340,767	293,873	13.8
Fruit and tree nut	179,648	159,547	11.2
Greenhouse, nursery and floriculture	746,796	674,790	9.6
Other crop	92,542	77,151	16.6
Beef cattle and feedlots	169,967	158,629	6.7
Dairy and milk production	379,343	284,607	25.0
Hog and pig	943,158	842,422	10.7
Poultry and egg	832,090	706,307	15.1
Other animal	102,346	98,722	3.5

**Notes:** Preliminary data.

Preliminary estimates include unincorporated farms with total operating revenues of \$10,000 and over, and incorporated farms with total operating revenues of \$25,000 and over; they exclude communal farming organizations.

1. Defined as one dollar minus operating expenses (before depreciation) per dollar of revenue.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, Catalogue no. 21-208-XIE.

**Table 39 Transportation**

	2000	2002	2004
	millions		
<b>Air carriers<sup>1</sup></b>			
Operating revenues (\$)	14,099	12,734	12,829
Operating expenses (\$)	14,001	13,030	12,794
Passengers (number)	46.8	40.5	45.6
Passenger-kilometres	104,882	95,094	101,965
<b>Cargo</b>			
Kilograms	851	787	694
Tonne-kilometres	2,327	2,151	2,013
<b>Marine transport</b>			
Cargo handled at Canadian ports			
International (tonnes)	294	283	315
Domestic (tonnes)	109	125	138
<b>Motor carriers</b>			
Intercity trucking			
Freight (tonnes)	278	294	..
Tonne-kilometres	164,982	177,216	..
<b>Railways</b>			
Operating revenues (\$)	8,101	8,193	8,856
Freight (\$)	7,197	7,237	7,869
Passenger (\$)	247	287	265
Freight tonne-kilometres	321,894	318,315	336,482
Passenger-kilometres	1,533	1,597	1,414

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1. Preliminary data for 2004.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM tables 403-0001, 404-0004 and 404-0005, and Catalogue nos. 51-004-XIB, 52-216-XIE and 54-205-XIE.

**Table 40 International travellers entering Canada, by type of transport**

	1985	1995	2005
	thousands		
<b>Total non-resident travellers</b>	<b>35,925.4</b>	<b>41,656.9</b>	<b>36,160.1</b>
United States residents	34,117.4	37,330.1	31,655.0
Automobile	28,612.8	31,448.0	24,486.3
Plane	2,047.2	3,028.7	4,279.4
Train	73.6	78.1	109.3
Bus	1,675.1	1,607.5	1,264.5
Boat	1,021.0	521.8	996.0
Other methods	687.8	646.0	519.5
Residents of countries other than the United States	1,808.0	4,326.8	4,505.1
Land	554.0	1,322.2	547.9
Air	1,241.1	2,962.7	3,831.2
Sea	12.9	41.9	126.0

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 427-0001.

**Table 41 Top 10 countries of origin for overnight visitors to Canada, 2005**

Country of origin <sup>1</sup>	Overnight trips		
	Trips	Nights spent	Spending in Canada
	thousands		\$ millions
United States	14,390	57,331	7,463
United Kingdom	888	11,882	1,246
Japan	398	4,750	557
France	351	5,836	463
Germany	311	4,900	410
Mexico	179	3,149	240
Australia	179	2,447	287
South Korea	173	4,466	247
Netherlands	118	1,580	131
China	113	3,723	219

1. May include more than one country.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, Culture, Tourism and the Centre for Education Statistics.

**Table 42 Top 10 foreign countries visited by Canadians, 2005**

	Overnight visits		
	Visits	Nights spent	Spending in country
	thousands		CAN\$ millions
United States	14,862	117,164	9,537
United Kingdom	898	11,376	1,091
Mexico	794	8,780	910
France	616	7,770	829
Cuba	518	4,574	470
Dominican Republic	506	4,488	457
Italy	383	4,860	616
Germany	317	3,205	276
Netherlands	197	1,601	132
Spain	170	2,300	223

**Source:** Statistics Canada, Culture, Tourism and the Centre for Education Statistics.

**Table 43 International transactions in securities**

	1985	1995	2005
	\$ millions		
<b>Canadian portfolio investments</b>	<b>19,194</b>	<b>90,768</b>	<b>284,604</b>
Foreign bonds	5,146	18,822	82,374
Foreign stocks	14,048	71,946	189,175
Foreign money market <sup>1</sup>	..	..	13,055
<b>Foreign portfolio investments</b>	<b>138,346</b>	<b>422,903</b>	<b>508,398</b>
Canadian bonds	117,668	341,698	380,017
Canadian stocks	15,134	37,092	107,598
Canadian money market	5,543	44,113	20,783

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1. Introduced in 2002.

**Source:** Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 376-0037.

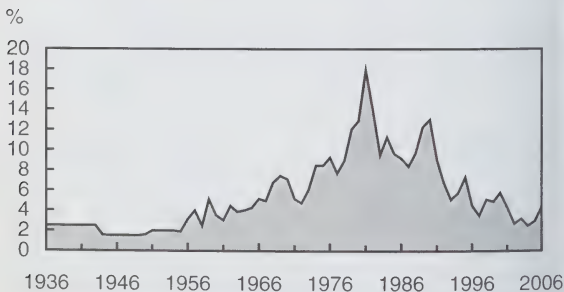
**Table 44 Federal general government revenue and expenditures, 2005/2006**

	\$ millions	% of total
<b>Total revenue</b>	<b>224,607</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Income taxes	144,562	64.4
Consumption taxes	48,490	21.6
Other taxes	670	0.3
Contributions to social security plans	17,527	7.8
Sales of goods and services	6,016	2.7
Investment income	6,096	2.7
Other revenue from own sources	553	0.2
General purpose transfers	603	0.3
Specific purpose transfers	88	0.0
<b>Total expenditures</b>	<b>211,103</b>	<b>100.0</b>
General government services	9,059	4.3
Protection of persons and property	24,275	11.5
Transportation and communications	2,266	1.1
Health	21,531	10.2
Social services	64,577	30.6
Education	4,937	2.3
Resource conservation and industrial development	8,206	3.9
Environment	2,100	1.0
Recreation and culture	4,044	1.9
Labour, employment and immigration	1,857	0.9
Housing	2,033	1.0
Foreign affairs and international assistance	6,065	2.9
Regional planning and development	339	0.2
Research establishments	3,013	1.4
General purpose transfers	24,785	11.7
Debt charges	32,004	15.2
Other expenditures	14	0.0
<b>Surplus</b>	<b>13,504</b>	
<b>Net federal debt<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>514,089</b>	

1. As of March 31, 2006.

Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM tables 385-0002 and 385-0010.

**Chart 12 Central bank rate**

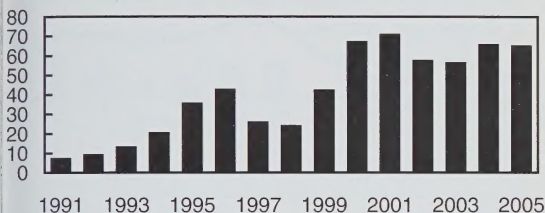


Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 176-0043; Bank of Canada.



# Chart 13 Canada's merchandise trade balance

\$ billions, balance-of-payment basis



Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 228-0003.

## Table 45 Canada's major trading partners, balance-of-payment basis, 2005

	Exports	Imports	Trade balance
	\$ millions		
<b>Total</b>	<b>453,060</b>	<b>388,210</b>	<b>64,850</b>
United States	368,577	259,784	108,793
Japan	10,471	11,214	-744
United Kingdom	9,683	9,062	622
Other European Economic Community countries	19,207	29,286	-10,079
Other Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Countries	15,246	24,309	-9,063
Other countries	29,877	54,556	-24,679

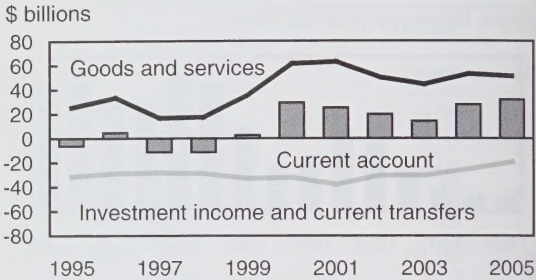
Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 228-0003.

## Table 46 Exports and imports of goods, balance-of-payment basis, 2005

	\$ millions	%
<b>Exports</b>	<b>453,060</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Machinery and equipment	94,641	20.9
Automotive products	88,162	19.5
Energy products	86,924	19.2
Industrial goods and materials	84,641	18.7
Forestry products	36,606	8.1
Other	62,085	13.7
<b>Imports</b>	<b>388,210</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Machinery and equipment	110,885	28.6
Industrial goods and materials	78,556	20.2
Automotive products	78,363	20.2
Other consumer goods	49,460	12.7
Energy products	33,659	8.7
Other	37,287	9.6

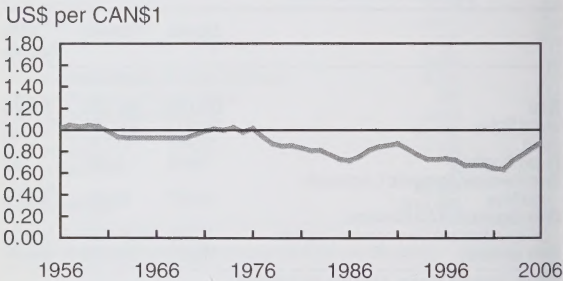
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**Chart 14 Current account balances**



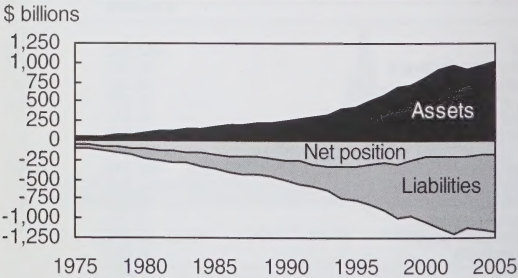
Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 376-0001.

**Chart 15 Exchange rate**



Sources: Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 176-0064; Bank of Canada.

**Chart 16 Canada's investment position with the rest of the world**



Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM table 376-0037.

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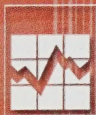
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